

Te Whatu Ora – Lakes – Progress on required actions

Lakes DHB underwent an accreditation assessment as a provider of prevocational medical training on 24 and 25 May 2022.

The overall outcome of the assessment for Lakes DHB's accreditation was '**substantially met**'.

On 1 July 2022, Te Whatu Ora | Health New Zealand replaced Aotearoa New Zealand's 20 DHBs. The prevocational training programme run by Lakes DHB is now run by Te Whatu Ora – Lakes.

Te Whatu Ora – Lakes is currently accredited for prevocational medical training until 31 August 2027, subject to satisfactorily addressing the required actions listed below.

	Required actions on accreditation	Standard	Status
1	Lakes must ensure that structured handovers take place between clinical teams and between all shifts with appropriate senior support.	<p>The intern training programme – programme components</p> <p>3.1.9: The training provider ensures there are procedures in place for structured handovers between clinical teams and between shifts (morning, evening, nights and weekends) to promote continuity of quality care. The training provider ensures that interns understand their role and responsibilities in handover.</p>	Addressed (August 2023)
2	Lakes must develop and implement departmental orientation for interns at the start of the clinical attachment.	<p>The intern training programme – orientation</p> <p>3.4.2: Orientation is provided at the start of each clinical attachment, ensuring familiarity with key staff, systems, policies, and processes relevant to that clinical attachment.</p>	Addressed (August 2023)
3	Lakes must ensure appropriate administrative support is available for prevocational educational supervisors.	<p>Assessment and supervision – supervision – prevocational educational supervisors</p> <p>4.2.4: Administrative support is available to prevocational educational supervisors so they can carry out their roles effectively.</p>	Addressed (August 2023)
4	Lakes must ensure structured dissemination of all feedback to those involved in intern prevocational medical training, including clinical supervisors, is provided.	<p>Monitoring and evaluation of the intern training programme</p> <p>5.5: The training provider routinely evaluates supervisor effectiveness taking into account feedback from interns.</p>	Addressed (August 2023)